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Title : ANTISENSE MODULATION OF ACYL COENZYME A  
CHOLESTEROL ACYLTRANSFERASE-1 EXPRESSION

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition the Director of the USPTO to extend the time for response to the Notice of Appeal for two (2) months from August 21, 2004 to October 21, 2004.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$610.00 which includes the \$215.00 fee for the two month extension. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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